# **Board of Appeals**

#### MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Board of Appeals is to implement the flexibility provided in the Zoning Ordinance as approved by the County Council and to assist County citizens in understanding and participating in the special exception, variance, and administrative appeal process.

#### **BUDGET OVERVIEW**

The total recommended FY05 Operating Budget for the Board of Appeals is \$515,870, a decrease of \$6,060 or 1.2 percent from the FY04 Approved Budget of \$521,930. Personnel Costs comprise 86.3 percent of the budget for four full-time positions and one part-time position for five workyears. Operating Expenses account for the remaining 13.7 percent of the FY05 budget.

#### PROGRAM CONTACTS

Contact Katherine Freeman of the Board of Appeals at 240.777.6600 or Bryan Hunt of the Office of Management and Budget at 240.777.2770 for more information regarding this department's operating budget.

#### PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

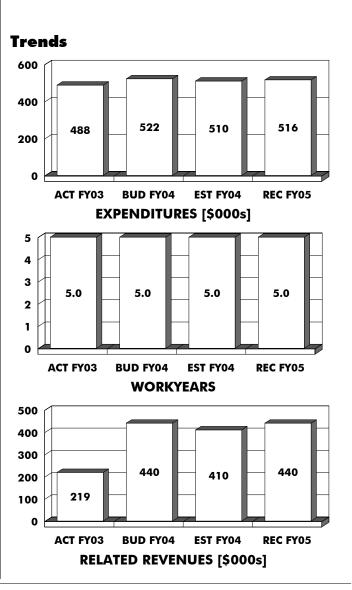
### Zoning Related Hearings and Administrative Appeals

The Board of Appeals hears requests for special exceptions and variances as provided in the Zoning Ordinance. The Zoning Ordinance requires that requests for certain uses (special exceptions) be considered for approval by the Board. Development standards for each zone are also set by the Zoning Ordinance. Variances from these standards require approval by the Board. The Board of Appeals also holds hearings and rules on appeals from administrative actions of certain governmental departments and agencies, as provided in the County Code.

#### FY05 Recommended Changes

	Expenditures	
FY04 Approved	521,930	5.0
Increase Cost: Operating Expenses for printing and central duplication (signs)	ng 1,000	0.0
Increase Cost: Operating Expenses for office supplies and equipment (software)	3,000	0.0
Miscellaneous adjustments, including negotiated compensation changes, employed benefit changes, and changes due to staff	•	
turnover	-10,060	0.0
FY05 CE Recommended	515,870	5.0

Zoning Related Hearings and Administrative Appeals  Totals	515,870 <b>515.870</b>	5.0 <b>5.0</b>
Program Summary	Expenditures	WYs



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## **BUDGET SUMMARY**

	Actual FY03	Budget FY04	Estimated FY04	Recommended FY05	% Chg Bud/Rec
COUNTY GENERAL FUND					
EXPENDITURES					
Salaries and Wages	345,003	355,910	346,970	348,550	-2.1%
Employee Benefits	82,478	99,240	95,960	96,540	-2.7%
County General Fund Personnel Costs	427,481	455,150	442,930	445,090	-2.2%
Operating Expenses	60,640	66,780	66,780	70,780	6.0%
Capital Outlay	0	0	0	0	_
County General Fund Expenditures	488,121	521,930	509,710	515,870	-1.2%
PERSONNEL					
Full-Time	4	5	5	4	-20.0%
Part-Time	1	0	0	1	_
Workyears	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	_
REVENUES					
Board of Appeals Fees	219,107	440,270	410,000	440,270	_
County General Fund Revenues	219,107	440,270	410,000	440,270	_

## **FUTURE FISCAL IMPACTS**

Title	CE REC.	CE REC.			)	
	FY05	FY06	FY07	FY08	FY09	FY10
his table is intended to present significant future	e fiscal impacts of the de	epartment's	programs.			
COUNTY GENERAL FUND						
Expenditures						
FY05 Recommended	516	516	516	516	516	516
No inflation or compensation change is included in	outyear projections.					
Labor Contracts	0	10	22	24	24	24
These figures represent the annualization of FY05 i	ncrements, general wage	adjustments,	and associate	d benefits. Es	timated comp	ensation
(e.g., general wage adjustment and service increme	ents) for personnel are inc	luded for FY0	6 and beyond	l.	-	
Subtotal Expenditures	516	526	538	540	540	540